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NOT yet 3000 subscribers.

PLEASE do something toward the 3000.

VERY little church news comes to this office that is not written with led pencil. Read our business card on page 16.

WILL sister Rosa Stroup and brother John A. Holler, please inform us what their address is? We will then attend to their wants.

IN No. 8, of the EVANGELIST the report of the meeting at Oakland, Pa., by Brother Wampler, is credited to brother D. J. instead of A. J. Hetric.

WE are entirely out of Almanacs for the year 1896. Thanks, brethren, you have given this publication liberal patronage. Next year's book will be greatly improved.

WHERE there are *eight* subscribers, cannot *two* more be secured? Where there are *twenty* cannot *five* more be secured? Try it, and then we will tell you what it means.

SEND ten cents for a copy of "Parable of Horrors" by B. C. Moomaw, and instructions and terms to agents. Only 2500 copies printed, and they are going rapidly. One agent disposed of 69 copies in a few days, while going about his usual business. See our offer in last issue.

TO OUR Sabbath-schools.—Have you received an order blank and descriptive circular? Send us your name and address on postal card. We want every school to try one.

WE have orders for fourteen Annuals which we cannot fill. One of these orders is for eight, the other for six. We sent *one* to each of these parties, with letter giving explanation.

ORDERS for Sunday-school literature are already coming in. Do not be alarmed if they are not filled at once. We pledge ourselves to have your supplies delivered for distribution, on the last Sabbath in March.

WHY not send five cents in stamps for our quarterly, that is if you do not live within reach of a Brethren Sunday-school using our literature. Every member of the church should have this quarterly. Send five cents for a copy, and if it is not worth *twenty-five* cents, we will return you the five cents and let you keep the quarterly. This is fair.

THIS is what Rev. C. A. Pedicord, pastor of the M. E. church at Allison, Iowa, says of the "Parable of Horrors," by B. C. Moomaw: "I want to thank you most earnestly for the pamphlet, 'A Parable of Horrors' which you so kindly sent me. I do not know when I have read a more interesting production. It is so good that I think I will read it some evening instead of preaching a sermon. It is very excellent and most fascinating."

THE difference as to who makes mistakes is forcibly illustrated in the following item from the *Butler Citizen*: "If a doctor makes a mistake, he buries it; if a merchant makes a mistake, he never tells it; if a lawyer makes a mistake, he crawls out of it; but if an editor makes a mistake, he puts it on a large sheet of paper for the world to look at, and in every community there are cranks who think they are models of wisdom because they occasionally discover them."

NEXT week will appear an article on the "Passover" by brother Isaac Leedy. The week following an article on the same subject, by brother David Baily, of Ashland, Ohio, whose reputation as a scholar is well known. The latter will be accompanied by an editorial on the subject, giving a review of the different articles published, and *this will close* the discussion for the time. It is our opinion that the literary talent of our people could be more profitably employed. Yet the discussion has led to Bible research, which is always desirable.

HAVE you seen and read our Quarterlies and Sunday-school papers? Perhaps you have, but not in their improved form. If you do not attend Sunday-school where our literature is used, send us *ten* cents in silver or stamps, and we will send you,

1. The Brethren Quarterly, for second quarter, 40 pages.
2. The Youth's Quarterly, for second quarter, 40 pages.
3. Our Little Folks, for the month of April—*four* different numbers.
4. Cheering Words, for the month of April, *four* different numbers. All this for ten cents? Yes. Have you ever had a more liberal offer? Try it.

WE call special attention to our Sunday-school paper, entitled, *Cheering Words*. This paper has met with great favor among our people. Our readers will be pleased to learn that beginning with April 1, the paper will be enlarged, and otherwise greatly improved. Schools will please remember this in making up their order for their literature. We have secured some very able help in the editorial work of the paper, and we now justly claim the best paper published for the money—25 cents per year. *Our Little Folks* also will be improved. We trust our readers will appreciate these efforts in giving them the *best there is* for the money. *Large* orders will show your appreciation.